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FM AMEMBASSY HELSINKI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7908

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FOR ASST. SECY JOHN M. THOMAS AND EUR/EX JOAN CLARK

FROM AMBASSADOR

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SUBJ: LOCAL WAGE INCREASE

REF: STATE 192070 AND HELSINKI 1774

1. WITH SALARIES FOR AMERICAN CIVILIANS STAFF AT THIS
EMBASSY APPARENTLY BEING INCREASED, PROBLEM WE FACE
BECAUSE OF INABILITY IMPLEMENT LOCAL WAGE INCREASE
NOW MAGNIFIED. WITH CONGRESSIONAL ACTION COMPLETED
ON APPROPRIATIONS BILL BELIEVE EARLY DECISION TIMELY.
EMBASSY LOCAL EMPLOYEES' MORALE CANNOT FAIL BE ADVERSELY
AFFECTED ALSO AS THEY SEE FINNISH WORKERS GENERALLY EN-
JOYING SECOND WAGE INCREASE OF YEAR WHILE THEY DENIED
INCREASE WHICH THEY HAD BEEN COUNTING ON.
I AGAIN STRONGLY URGE WE BE AUTHORIZED
PAY COMPETITIVE WAGES TO OUR LOCAL EMPLOYEES
WITH EMBASSY TO ABSORB COSTS ELSEWHERE IN BUDGET.
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